Episode #18: Ghouls Duel

Characters:

- Ash Ketchum
- May
- Max
- Dawn
- Ty Masterum
- Raye Rose
- Jonah
- Lillie
- Nurse Joy
- Morty
- Kimono Sisters
  - Sakura
  - Satsuki
  - Koume
  - Sumomo
  - Tamao
- Ecruteak City residents
- Referee

Pokemon:

- Pikachu **(Ash's)**
- Noctowl **(Ash's: flashback)**
- Teddiursa **(Ty's)**
- Totodile **(Ty's)**
- Espeon **(Sakura's)**
- Jolteon **(Satsuki's)**
- Flareon **(Koume's)**
- Vaporeon **(Sumomo's)**
- Umbreon **(Tamao's)**
- Gastly **(Morty's)**
- Haunter **(Morty's)**
- Gengar **(Morty's)**

Symposis:

Plot:

The gang finally arrived in Ecruteak City, Ty was ready for his next fourth gym battle as he was excited to visit this city again. While the gang are looking around the city on the tour, Ty tells about his visit in Ecruteak City while Ash says that they have a dance theater with kimono, which amazes May who wanted to meet them. Before Ty's battle, they stopped at the pokemon center for a break, meeting Nurse Joy who takes care to heal their pokemons, Ty was ready for his gym battle, but Ash tells to find a way to defeat Morty's ghost type pokemon, which Ty will use Teddiursa and Totodile to battle and figure to win, Teddiursa agrees with him. As they prepared to leave the pokemon center, Ty was more ready for his upcoming gym battle, suddenly, the gym leader Morty appears to them, Ash was happy to see him again, greeting with others as Ty was asking Morty to have a battle with him, which he agrees with it, but before they do, five girls appears in front of the gang, revealing to be Sakura and her Kimono sisters, Ty and Sakura were happy to see each other again since their childhood and introduced each other while Sakura and her sisters congratulated Ash as a champion since they watched him live and they invited the gang, Morty included for a tea at their house before Ty's battle.

At Sakura's house, everyone's having tea while chatting about their journey and the gang tells about their main goals, impressing the kimono sisters while Sakura told the gang that she completed her journey after earning her gym badges, the gang we're impressed at her, then they asked her about her next goal, which Sakura says she's still a kimono and wishes to be a performer, everyone was surprised and amazed at Sakura's next dream, while Lillie wants to be a performer too. After the tea, Sakura and her sisters summons there eeveelutions out, Espeon, Jolteon, Flareon, Vaporean and Umbreon, just as Raye shows Eevee to them, the kimonos were impressed and

asked Raye if she can evolve Eevee with a Evolution stone, but Raye didn't have one, saying that she'll think about it. After that, Morty tells Ty that he was ready to challenge him into a gym battle.

Inside the gym, the gang along with Sakura watches Ty and Morty in position. The battle begins with Morty sending Gengar to battle with Ty sending Teddiursa, Raye examines Gengar on her pokedex, Max asks if Ty can win against ghost type pokemons, which Ash says that he has a plan. Gengar used Shadow Ball against Teddiursa but dodges and directs hits Gengar with Payback, however, while Teddiursa uses Fury Swipes to counter attack, Gengar dodges and hits Teddiursa with Night Shade. Ash recounts his past about facing Gengar with his Noctowl strategies to defeat the ghost type pokemon, Ash's team hopes for Ty's determined battle, which Dawn replies that he'll win, only to grow a bit worried for him. Gengar uses Night Shade against Teddiursa, but misses it after Teddiursa dodges it, Gengar was countered hit by Teddiursa's Fury Swipes, just as he took a hit, Gengar used Lick at Teddiursa, luckily, he dodged it. Ty is trying to figure it out until he realized Gengar's licker that he used, and had an idea. Morty tells Gengar to use lick again which he does, however, Teddiursa dodges it, runs up to Gengar's tongue and strikes him with payback, unable to fight, Teddiursa finishes it off with Fury Swipes, Gengar is down and eliminated.

Ash was impressed at Teddiursa for using their own strategies like he did. Morty sends Gastly to battle, Ty tells Teddiursa to use payback at Gastly, but misses it after the ghost pokemon dodged it by disappearing and attacks Teddiursa with night shade, Sakura was surprised at Gastly's attack. Teddiursa was a bit injured, but continues to fight, just as Gastly strikes Teddiursa with night shade, Teddiursa dodges the attack and counters with payback, Max examines that Teddiursa is using payback since it's a dark type move. Teddiursa charges at Gastly to strike him with Fury Swipes, however, Morty calls just on time by telling Gastly to dodge which he successfully does by disappearing, suddenly, Gastly appears in front of Teddiursa and uses lick, then, Teddiursa became paralyzed from Gastly's lick, unable to move, Gastly strikes Teddiursa with night shade, Teddiursa was eliminated.

With Ty only has one pokemon left, he sends Totodile out to battle, Jonah says if Totodile can win this battle, which May says that Ty is figuring out how to win. Totodile was ready to fight, with Gastly starting first by using night shade, Ty tells Totodile to dodge the attack and strikes Gastly with Bite, which is successful. Morty tells Gastly to lick, but fails after Totodile dodges and uses bite again, then, Totodile charges at Gastly and uses Tackle, striking him, in seconds, Gastly faints.

With one and one left, Morty sends out Haunter against Totodile, Dawn gave hope for Ty to win his battle, the last battle began with Totodile using bite at Haunter, but missed it after Haunter dodges and uses Hypnosis, luckily, Totodile dodges on time thanks to Ty's call, he later uses bite, hitting him, while Totodile was preparing to attack Haunter with Water Gun, however, Haunter dodges the attack and used Confuse Ray at Totodile, causing him to be confused, unable to snap from the confusion, Morty tells Haunter by using night shade, hitting Totodile. Ty yells at Totodile to snap out of its confusion, but didn't work, the gang became worried for Ty, thinking that he might lose sooner, as Haunter prepares to finish Totodile with its night shade, Totodile snaps out, dodging his attack and strikes him with his new move, revealing that he learned Ice Fang, Ash and his friends were surprised and amazed at Totodile's new move, Haunter tries to use confuse ray again, but Totodile dodged it, proceeding to hit him with bite, Haunter tried to use night shade but misses again, making Totodile delivering a final blow on Haunter with ice fang, Haunter was unable to battle, resulting Ty's victory.

Ash's gang, and Sakura congratulated Ty for winning against Morty as he presented Ty his Fog badge, which he now has four. Outside the city during sunset, The gang were leaving for their adventure, however, before they left, Sakura asked the gang if she wanted to go with them, Ash accepted Sakura's offer allowing her sisters to happily let Sakura go with them as Satsuki gave Sakura her backpack. Ty questions to which destination are they going next for his next gym battle, Ash says that Cianwood City is next, but they're going to Olivine City first. Morty and the kimono sisters bid farewell to Ash's team and continue their journey.